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BARBOURVILLE, KNOX COUNTY.

—Mr. James Haun, late of Texas, who is visiting friends here, was in Pineville the first of last week.

—Dr. B. F. Herndon is furnishing quite a nice office over Phillips & Herndon's drug store, on west side of courthouse, where he moved about Jan. 18 last.

—News came from Williamsburg that Mr. Matt Moore, of that place, shot and mortally wounded Bob Linsey, the notorious desperado of Jellico, at Jacksborough, Tenn., Wednesday evening.

—A "carpet tacking" the latest thing out, was given at the residence of Hon. S. B. Dishman, Friday evening. Although I was not present, I gather from reports that everybody had a nice time.

—Miss Ella Eve, who has been teaching near Frankfort for the past four or five months, returned home last week. Hon. S. H. Kash, of Manchester, was in town Thursday and Friday. G. P. Doan was in London Friday.

—Referring to the joint discussion between the democratic and the republican clubs here, last Monday night, I said in my letter of Friday that some "rattlin'" speeches were made by W. R. Black, A. F. Madison and others, but the printer got it "rotten," but my "o's" generally look like "w's."

—The INTERIOR JOURNAL is sought after and read by many of Barbourville's citizens and while there is a pretty good bundle comes to this place, there seems to be not enough for all, so they borrow from the regular subscribers, and when I get through with my paper there is generally some one ready with, "Lem me see that a moment, please."

—Mr. J. R. Jones, John Wanamaker's local representative here, tells me he will build on his vacant lot in the burnt district, some time this spring or summer. Mr. Jones may build a brick structure and it is hoped that he will for this site is one of the most desirable in town and should be substantially covered.

—In referring to the coming contest for a republican nomination for Congress in this district, the editor of the News of this place does not seem to know that there are any other candidates in the field but Hon. D. G. Colson, of Bell, I could name Col. Silas Adams, of Casey, Dr. Nell, of Adair, and Hon. John H. Wilson, our present representative, who have already announced their intention of asking the honors and a number of such good men as Judge Vincent Boring and Hon. W. R. Ramsey, of Laurel, Hon. H. F. Finley, of Whitley, Hon. W. W. Jones, of Adair, Mr. Trimble and Judge Denton, of Pulaski, all of whom have been spoken of and any of whom I would not be surprised to learn of being announced.

—DANVILLE.—The residence of A. E. Hundley was insured for \$4,500 and the furniture for \$700 in the Etna. Bill Hansford, the negro who robbed Abe Smith's smoke-house, was found guilty and as he had twice before been sent to the penitentiary the verdict carried a life sentence with it. The Ladies of Trinity (Episcopal) Guild will give, at the Danville Opera House, on Thursday evening, Feb. 25th, commencing at 8 o'clock, another of their delightful musical and literary entertainments. B. G. Fox sold for Mock Bros., the two-year-old colt, Sinclair, by Red Chief, dam by Messenger Chief, to Dr. Sel Barnard, of Martinsville, Ind., for \$850.—Advocate.

Agents of Queen & Crescent Route and Louisville Southern R. R. will sell tickets at reduced rates for the following occasions:

Republican State Convention, Louisville, March 30.

Patti Opera, Louisville, Feb. 29. Tickets on sale at Q. & C. stations in Kentucky, Lexington to Junction City, and all stations on the Louisville Southern railroad.

Mardi Gras at New Orleans and Mobile, Ala., Feb. 26, 27, 28 and 29. Tickets good to return until March 15.

Call on any agent of the Q. & C. route or Louisville Southern railroad for further information.

MCCORMACKS.—Miss Mary D. Carter, one of our most accomplished young ladies, now taking a Normal course at Elliott Institute, is at home to spend the 22d and take in the Christian College entertainment. She is accompanied by one of her school-mates, Miss Bettie Button, a lovely little blonde, of Louisville, who graduates at Elliott, in June. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wolf (nee Miss Jennie Cosby), of Duluth, Minn., have arrived at Junction City and will spend some weeks with relatives in Boyle and Lincoln.

A young lady wants to know how to make "not enough" out of the word "enough." That is easy. It is done by transposing the letters and arranging them in two words. Take the 3d, 2d and 1st letters for the 1st word and the 6th, 4th and 5th letters for the 2d and the 8th, 7th and 9th letters for the 3d and the 10th, 11th and 12th letters for the 4th. You have something that is not enough for any young lady.

T. J. Sullivan has been appointed postmaster at Fletcher, Laurel county.

HUSTONVILLE.

—Miss Mary Jones, of Springfield, returned home Saturday. Miss Minnie Drye, of Bradfordsville, arrived Saturday on a visit to relatives.

—Jim Good has bought a new bank-bill factory and was around Wednesday feeding in blank checks and grinding out five-dollar bills to the mouth-watering amazement of many of his uninformed friends.

—The Ladies' Aid Society spread one of their famous lunches at the Weatherford Hotel after the college entertainment and received their usual liberal patronage, which at their extremely low charges, netted them nearly \$40, to be expended on their charitable works.

—Thanks to the Cincinnati Enquirer for the valuable information of Mrs. Wanamaker's favorite colors. Mr. Wanamie is reputed authority on cheap clothing, and now Mrs. Wanamie has indicated the proper colors to all who scheme for admission to exclusive circles of snobs.

—Notwithstanding the unpropitious weather, a crowded audience enjoyed the excellent entertainment given by the pupils of Christian College at the church Friday evening. The performances were fully up to the high standard for which that institution has always been celebrated, which is assurance to those who deferred to the inclement weather what they missed by not attending.

—The initial copy of the Danville Democrat is a credit to the Kentucky press, and its matter and make-up, the work of new men at the business, assure it a rapid rush to the front with the State's best weeklies. But for assurances every earmark would be taken as evidence of veteran service in the same. It and the imposing stone.

—It is Sam Rutherford's fortune to find more natural eructiosities than any of his neighbors, and he now has an interesting freak that he lately found in gathering firewood. After cutting a small elm, on trimming up he discovered a sprout about the size of his thumb, which put out near the ground, and after a growth of 18 inches or less, had been engrafted into the body, making a complete grip-like handle.

—Miss Annie Riffe is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mattie Nunnelley, near Turnerville. Miss Agnes Riffe has just returned from a two-weeks' visit to Mrs. N. Milton Rudolph and wife, of Wichita, Kansas, are visiting Mrs. R. R. relatives in this neighborhood. Mr. Rudolph is a prominent railroader of that city. Mr. Jackson VanArdsell, and wife, of VanArdsell, Mercer county, were here last Friday and Saturday visiting Mrs. Thompson at the college. Miss Naomi Forsythe, one of Harrodsburg's belles, arrived Saturday to visit Miss Fannie Lee Harper.

—The feathered orchestra was at rehearsal last Saturday morning as if in derision of the groundhog's prophecy, but the old man's limit hasn't been reached, and we deem it prudent to still have a few loose backloggs lying around. Patti may have been a greater treat to her city auditors than our opera would, but those few of the city folk are familiar with any but canaries and English sparrows. It was well worth a winter's discomfiture of sleet, slush and cold to hear the exultant crescendos of some of the little fellows that seem determined to have a hearing as well as the outside world know of our resources the less likely are they to provoke a quarrel.

—The hustling advertisers of "Warner's Safe Cure" are keeping their nostrum prominently before the public by claiming that the cause of Spurgeson's death was the refusal of his physicians to allow the "Safe Cure" to be administered to him, notwithstanding his urgent request to that effect. These vendors of patent right medicine never tire in inventing to induce people to read of the wonderful merits of their remedies and their ingenuity is usually coupled with a vast amount of cheek. It is reported that at the funeral of a young man, an invitation was extended to any one present who desired to do so, to make any remarks concerning the character of the deceased. A stranger arose and said that he had learned from the acquaintances of the deceased that he was highly esteemed in the community and his loss would be deplored by all who knew him. "And in this connection," said he, "I will say that I am the agent of a celebrated hair restorative that I am ready to furnish to any one present who desires the same at the reasonable price of one dollar a bottle. Shake well!"

At this juncture he was stopped by the application of a sharp toed boot, vigorously applied to his caudal extremities, which caused him to decamp in a manner more hasty than dignified.

—It seems that the Liberty pike is the thoroughfare chosen by nearly every rabid dog that runs amuck in this end. A year ago a severe loss of cattle and hogs befel several farmers along that road in death which followed a mad dog's bites; two months ago the career of a rabid hound was traced from near here beyond Liberty in a wholesale mortality to pugnacious curs that provoked a snap by their attacks; and ten days ago a horseman was chased 200 yards by an enormous dog which he met about 3 miles out from town. The monster squared himself threateningly on near approach of the rider, and though given a wide berth made a spring for the man's leg and fol-

lowed snapping at him till distanced.

Hope of a whipping post law is dead, but can't our legislators be prevailed upon to give at least a starter on a dog law? Put a tax of at least \$1 on every dog in Kentucky and make every owner responsible for all damages incontestably traced to his dog. Raids on the sheep of almost every section are of frequent occurrence and nearly always by dogs that would not exist if owners were compelled to pay for every cur harbored.

Many of us under existing laws feel it incumbent to promote the breeding of mongrels whom a small tax would convince of our absurd error.

—LADIES' GARDEN COUNTY.

—Miss Lillie Grant entertained the Junior Club, Saturday night.

—Rev. C. M. Reid preached at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening.

—A party of young people from this place will attend the Patti concert at Louisville on the 29th.

—A petition is being circulated addressed to the trustees requesting that board to pass a law prohibiting hogs to run at large on the streets.

—If some of those who are presumed to know everything and who boss baseball clubs and political conventions would give a small portion of their time to devising ways and means to destroy rats, roaches, moles, potato bugs and peach-bores they would be more usefully employed and at the same time rendering the public some service of which they might be justly proud.

—Mr. George Denny, Sr., who suffered a stroke of paralysis a few days ago, is, at this writing, much improved. Editor J. R. Marrs was here Saturday and Sunday looking after the interests of the Central Record. Miss Lizzie Simpson is visiting Miss Bessie Marksbury. Miss Juliet Gill will leave this week to visit her aunt, Mrs. Dr. Elkin, at Atlanta. Miss Mary Annie Wilmore has returned to her home at Nicholaville. Robert Salter was in town Saturday. Capt. T. W. Olds leaves to-day for Nicholaville, where he will engage in the undertaking business. Howard Gaines, of Frankfort, was here Saturday. Misses Jennie Faulkner, Lizzie Walker and Eliza Lusk are visiting in Danville. Master George and Miss Eugenia Dunlap have returned to Camp Nelson.

—Major Barter, of the English Royal Engineers, is in this country nosing around and trying to find out as much as possible about the military and naval resources of the United States. The government authorities are not showing him many favors in the way of imparting information outside of what he can find in the published official reports. Possibly these precautions are unnecessary, and it would do no harm to let him see as much as he can of our ability to take care of ourselves in the event we are ever attacked. There is no danger of our getting into a war if we only keep ourselves in the right and the more the outside world know of our resources the less likely are they to provoke a quarrel.

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—The governor of Texas has called a special term of the legislature to convene Mar. 14, to elect a U. S. Senator and transact other specified business.

LONDON, LAUREL COUNTY.

—The lamps are again being lighted regularly thanks to our city dads, but the hog is still with us.

—Anderson Brown killed a wild white squirrel, Saturday. It goes into Taxidermist Melcon's collection.

—R. R. Ewell, of Faris Station, I am informed, has bought from W. B. Catching the J. D. Smith property, just below the Methodist church, for \$1,500, the amount Mr. C. paid for it about a year ago.

—Merritt Whitt, aged 87, well-known all over the county, died Friday very suddenly. He killed Big Bill Chestnut, in this place, in the early times of London's existence, but for many years has been a preacher in the Baptist church.

—Mr. Charles Matson, of Rising Sun, Ind., is here. Dr. Joe Young was in town Sunday from Lily and will soon return to make his future home. Lawyer Alcorn, of Stanford, Craft of Louisville, and Dick Bowling, of Middlesboro, were in this city last week.

—John Laws hinted the other day that he would like for me to mention that he was making some fine photographs. As John has done me several kindnesses, I give him this notice and if he will subscribe for the INTERIOR JOURNAL I will give him another.

—Jack Metcalf, our architect and builder, has sold out his property to James Adams, colored, of Clay county. He will leave about the first of May for Owensboro, where he will work on the Custom House to be erected there. "Old Sport" will be missed by those who often need a first-class carpenter, as well as by his many friends.

—There has recently been an extraordinary inclination to mischievousness displayed by some of the young boys in town. Matt Steele was hit in the ear with a large Irish potato, which brought blood, while passing a congregation on a corner, and C. H. Moses was egged at the same place. Something will happen to one of those youngsters some of these days and they won't be able to tell what it was.

—I learned that Reid and Dickinson, who were arrested for robbing Creed Rowland, escaped from the guards at Manchester and are still at large. The proof is said to have been conclusive. The property was all recovered in a safe, which had been carried off, the contents not having been touched.

—At the debate at the court-house, Thursday evening, in which "Art and Nature" was the chestnut flavored subject, each speaker, on both sides, mentioned the Mammoth Cave. One side spoke on its grandeur and beauty, and the other took the opposite. When it came to Fred Faris, being young and the first address he had ever made, he said that he didn't know much about the subject, but thought all the speakers had "run the Mammoth Cave in the ground." A pretty good thought for a small boy.

—WLIAMSBURG, WHITLEY COUNTY.

—Quite a number of farmers in town Saturday and they report spring work progressing nicely.

—Our municipal election takes place on the first Saturday in March and the candidates are shaking hands around with their friends. A closely contested race is expected for the judge and marshal places.

—Rev. Johnston closed his meeting at the Baptist church, Friday night, with 23 additions. He returned to his home at Chillicothe, Saturday. Eld. J. A. Carr preached at the Christian church Sunday morning and evening.

—Granville St. John died at the home of his son-in-law, W. H. Clark, Saturday morning at 5 o'clock of pneumonia. He was about 80 years of age and had been a consistent member of the Baptist church for about 50 years. Burial took place on Sunday in the new cemetery.

—Dr. P. A. Pennington has been to Barbourville visiting his brother, Mrs. Dr. Huffman, of Woolridge Mines, Tenn., spent last Thursday with Mrs. J. L. Whitehead. Miss Laura Brock spent Saturday and Sunday at London, her home. Capt. Ed Arthur was at home a part of last week. Mr. Arthur spends most of his time at Flat Lick in the lumber business.

—M. A. Moore, sheriff of Whitley county, shot and seriously wounded Bad Linsey, at Jacksboro, Tenn., last Wednesday. Mr. Moore was there on business, but Linsey thought he was there to go before the grand jury as a witness against James Hollingsworth, who killed Tom Burton, some time ago. Linsey walked up behind Moore and struck him with a pair of brass knucks, knocking him down, and as he was rising Moore drew his pistol and shot five times, two of them taking effect, one in the face and one in the breast. Last reports say that Linsey will recover. Linsey is a Deputy U. S. Marshal under the present administration.

—C. G. Cummings, at Savannah, Ga., Wm. Smith at Gretna, La., and Lohman at Custer City, S. D., were executed Friday. The first two were negroes, the latter a white man. Cummings acted in an intensely dramatic manner, just before being led out. He walked up and down the long corridor of the jail with a military air, singing hymns in a voice so loud as to be heard blocks away. In bidding his fellow-prisoners good-bye Cummings made up a short doggerel to suit each case. His religious enthusiasm was almost maniacal and he died with the belief of going straight to heaven.

—J. J. Hall, Joe Morrison and Kate Lee, the Danville fire bugs, have been indicted by the grand jury.

THE NEW : CASH : STORE

Has just received a

New Stock of Clothing,

Overalls, Jumpers, Extra Pants,

SHIRTS, DRAWERS, UNDERWEAR

And Everything pertaining to Gents' Furnishing Goods.

We Still Wear the Blue Ribbon

On White Goods, Embroideries, Laces, Handkerchiefs, Towels, Napkins, Table Linens, Lace Curtains, Oil Blinds, &c. If you have not seen our stock of Scotch Homespuns, French Suitings, Black Dress Goods, &c.,

Come at once and see goods and prices. Also remember that we defy competition in SHOES. All our goods are new and

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W. P. WALTON.

By a vote of 3 to 1, Gen. Hendrick voting in the negative and Auditor Norman not being present, the Sinking Fund commissioners removed Capt. Mike Bolan, warden of the penitentiary, and appointed Assistant Secretary of State S. A. Norman in his stead. The vote was unanimous to suspend Deputy Warden S. O. Nunn, of Eddyville, who recently shot Z. T. Montgomery, superintendent for Mason, Foard & Co., Gov. Brown gives as his reason for urging the removal of Bolan is that he was brutal to prisoners, especially to one Tankersley, a weak-minded man, whom he had hung up on a board by his hands and strapped on his naked back 39 times. Others say that the real reason for the brouhaha is that Bolan took an active part in raising the mob at Independence for Clay and of obtaining the recognition of its delegates at the State convention.

The New York World is of the opinion that if Congressman Fitch's bill to publish the pension lists is passed, they can be purged of all pretenders who are securing money from the government by fraud and rascality, but we fear the paper is too sanguine. The plan was tried before, but if any fraud was ever kicked out, it escaped our notice. There is no doubt that a large part of the vast pension appropriations goes fraudulently to men not entitled to it—to men who were not soldiers, to men who have suffered no disabilities, to men whose claims have been fraudulently conceived and pressed to allowance by shysterly pension agents, but the thing has become such a matter of course that nobody makes any fuss about it any more. In fact it seems to be the general understanding that no matter how much the treasury is robbed in this way, it is all right.

The free silver coinage advocates in Congress seem determined to carry their point, even if it split the democratic party wide open. It is a question on which the party is hopelessly divided and to thrust it upon the country on the eve of a presidential election seems to be to invite defeat. The suggestion that action be deferred until the national convention has defined the status of the party on the question ought to be accepted by the advocates of free coinage, who should shelve the issue and strive alone for the present for a reduction of tariff taxation. The democrats are thoroughly united on that issue and will present a solid line of battle.

The cigarette, insignificant though it be in appearance, is not too small to engage the minds of our National law-makers, who are called on to consider a bill to increase the tax on them from 50 cents per 1,000 to \$10 per thousand. The object of it is to make the poisonously too costly for children to buy and in that way stop in some degree the use of them. During 1891 not less than 100 persons under 16 years of age died from the effects of smoking paper wrapped cigarettes, the stomachs of the deceased in most cases having been found to contain acid, phosphorous and arsenic, which go largely into the manufacture of such paper.

The Court of Appeals has again endorsed the new constitution, this time on an appeal by a murderer, who claimed that he was not properly indicted, 12 instead of 16 men having found the true bill. The court decides that the constitution is superior to the statutory law existing at the time of its promulgation and it became valid and operative in all respects from that date. The instrument should now be allowed to rest and all law abiding men should seek to give it an honest support.

The C. & O. has taken possession of the N. N. & M. V. from Huntington to Lexington and President Ingalls announces that L. F. Sullivan has been appointed auditor; Epes Randolph, superintendent and Chas. L. Brown, general freight and passenger agent. The two last named have held the positions very satisfactorily for some time.

The new Danville paper says of itself: "All the utterances of the Democrat are guaranteed to be inspired by pure democracy, 'straight goods, all wool and a yard wide,' without the slightest leaning to republicanism, magnificence, prohibition or any other political foolishness." That's the way to talk it. Now stick to your text and give 'em h—ail Columbia, when they need it.

They are having a h. o. t. in Louisiana. There are already six tickets in the field for State officers and they are still coming. The lottery business is responsible for most of the conditions which make Jim Jewell's assertion that "politics is h—l" peculiarly applicable.

A BILL to repeal the sugar bounty is before Congress and it is hoped that this outrageous robbery of the tax payer will be wiped from the statute books. It puts \$15,000,000 a year in the pockets of the manufacturers, without a cent's profit to the people.

Old Granny Blair announces himself a candidate for president. Jehovah what!

At Texarkana, Ark., Saturday, 5,000 people engaged in a deed that makes the cruelty and horrors practiced in the dark ages easy to be believed. Ed Coy, a mulatto, outraged a white married woman, and on being identified by her, a mob seized him, and taking him outside the town, tied him to a tree, saturated his clothing with coal oil, piled faggots around him and when all was ready, the woman with her own hand applied the match that set the mass ague. The negro writhed and howled in horrible agony for 10 minutes, while the mob laughed and jeered at him, then all was over. The excuse of the mob for resorting to this horrible form of death is that hanging has not deterred the brutes from such outrages as this one committed. In avenging a crime, however, it has left a foul blot on its section that can not soon be wiped out. Two wrongs do not make a right, and two crimes do not make their perpetration any more creditable, even if one is done under the guise of pretended justice.

It is with pleasure that we note the resumption of the "In and About Kentucky" column in the Courier-Journal. It has long been one of its most entertaining features and under the charge of Mr. A. Y. Ford it has taken on additional interest.

Under the head of "Newspaperdom," the Owensboro Inquirer is getting up a mighty interesting column, especially to the pencil shavers, even if it does get after some of them with a sharp stick.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

The House refused to cut down the mileage of members from 15 cents.

The new Gospel lottery bill, emergency clause and all, passed the Senate 22 to 0.

The Legislature observed Washington's birthday at an expense of over \$1,000 to the taxpayers.

A bill making it a felony, punishable by imprisonment for from 1 to 5 years, for a person to draw or attempt to use a deadly weapon "in a crowd or public assembly" is before the House.

Harvey Myers' bill to increase the speaker's pay \$5 a day was pronounced by Attorney General Hendrick against the constitution, which provides that no money shall be drawn from the treasury except in pursuance of an appropriation made by law.

NEWSY NOTES.

The Spring Hill distillery, at Frankfort, has been sold to Mr. John Cochran, of Louisville, for \$29,250.

Dr. W. W. White, of Bowling Green, killed himself because he thought he was irretrievably in debt.

The lower House of the Mississippi Legislature has passed a bill creating a new county to be named Jeff Davis.

At Covington Richard Gray, who killed Stephen Grogan for ruining his daughter, was acquitted of the charge of murder.

The New York State democratic convention met yesterday. Senator Hill's supporters claim 371 of the 384 delegates.

The whaling bark Tamerlane, of San Francisco, was wrecked off the coast of the Sandwich Islands and 18 of the crew were drowned.

The Wyoming Supreme Court has sentenced the boy, Charles Miller, to be hanged April 22. He murdered two young men from St. Joseph, Mo.

Five trains of congressmen, diplomats and journalists went to Chicago from Washington Friday to see how the World's Fair buildings are progressing.

In a collision at the Bell crossing at Indianapolis, Thomas Habley and Eleanor George were killed while stealing a ride on the front end of the Big Four mail car.

Citizens of Spokane, Wash., have granted to the Great Northern railroad full right of way through the centre of that city over private property worth several millions. The road will be extended to Seattle.

The first passenger train over the Richmond, Nicholasville, Irvine and Beattyville railroad to enter, Irvine crossed the new bridge over Kentucky river Saturday. The road just saved the \$50,000 subscription of Estill county by the skin of its teeth.

It is said that a quarry of marble has been discovered in Virginia rivalling the famous Numidian marble, which is the finest in the world and which is dug out of deposits in Africa at great cost of time and labor. Prof. Fava is an expert geologist and his statement has a sound a great deal of interest there.

There are 56 distilleries in the 5th Kentucky revenue district now in operation and they are mashing about 17,500 bushels of grain per day. This represents about 1,750 barrels or 78,750 gallons. The average daily mash for each distillery in the district is about 320 bushels or 32 barrels. On the whisky manufactured the government tax will amount to about \$88,650 per day.

Edward P. Duncan, an American banker doing business in Paris, and wintering with his family at Cannes, returned unexpectedly to his hotel apartments and found a Frenchman in his wife's room. The fellow tried to hide behind the bed, but the husband poured a volley of lead at his cringing form, killing him instantly. The unfaithful wife fell at her husband's feet and implored his forgiveness, but he cast her off forever.

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The bill providing for a settlement of Virginia's State debt has been passed by the Legislature.

At Cecilian, Coon Kurtz, aged 14, stabbed John Lewis Goore to the heart. Kurtz's elder brother, George, and Goore were fighting and the former was getting the worst of it.

The Chinese exclusion law was about to lapse by its own limitation. A bill to make it still stronger and to extend its operation for 10 years, has passed the United States Senate.

Death revealed the fact that Henry Armstrong, who died at Chattanooga, aged 60, was in reality a woman and according to an old diary her name was Myra Lawrence. She served as a soldier in the Confederate army.

The Tennessee Mining Co., which caused all the trouble in East Tennessee by working miners with convicts, will employ white free miners on the co-operative plan. This will restore peace in the mountains once more.

About 100 families of negroes arrived at New York Sunday from the Indian territory, intending to emigrate to Liberia. Having been deluded by a statement that they could get free passage from New York, they sold all their property to raise money to reach the city and are there destitute.

An estimate based on the woolen imports of 1891 shows that the Springer free wool bill would remove an annual burden in duties alone of \$29,018,183, to say nothing of the great saving it would make to consumers of American manufactures.

"Aunt Betsy" McKay, born in 1786 and married in 1808, died yesterday at her home in Taylorsville. Two years older than the government of the Union and six years older than the State of Kentucky, she lived to see the introduction of steamboats, railroads, telegraphs, telephones, electric lighting and locomotion, and pretty much every other scientific mechanical appliance, without which the present generation would hardly look upon life as worth the living. —Times.

At Syracuse, N. Y., a young robber boarded a special train on the New York Central road, and while the train was going at full speed he shot the American express messenger of the "money" car. He held the trainmen off with a revolver and when Lyons was reached, ran to an engine, drove off the engineer and turned on steam. He was pursued by another engine and when caught up with, opened fire. Leaving the engine he attempted to escape across the country, but ran into a swamp, where he was caught. He would not give his name.

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The New York State democratic convention met yesterday. Senator Hill's supporters claim 371 of the 384 delegates.

The whaling bark Tamerlane, of San Francisco, was wrecked off the coast of the Sandwich Islands and 18 of the crew were drowned.

The Wyoming Supreme Court has sentenced the boy, Charles Miller, to be hanged April 22. He murdered two young men from St. Joseph, Mo.

Five trains of congressmen, diplomats and journalists went to Chicago from Washington Friday to see how the World's Fair buildings are progressing.

In a collision at the Bell crossing at Indianapolis, Thomas Habley and Eleanor George were killed while stealing a ride on the front end of the Big Four mail car.

C. Vanoy haddold to Jerry Briscoe his lamb to be delivered June 10 at 5 cents.

Sam Warner, of Missonri, sold to Smiley, of this county, 4 Montana mares for \$450.

William Moreland bought of A. Q. Belbrey, of Livingston, Tenn., 28 head of 850-pound cattle, at 2½ cents.

Karnes & Co., of Monticello, sold to various parties in this county a lot of mountain cattle at 1½ to 2½ cents.

J. W. Glass sold to E. J. Fisher, of Buena Vista, 1,400 bushels of wheat at 92 cents at the garner. —Lancaster Record.

It is reported that in Northwestern Minnesota and the Dakotas not less than 30,000,000 bushels of wheat are still in stocks.

W. F. Kinney, of Clark county, sold 13,557 pounds of tobacco, raised near Clintonville, to George Jones of Bourbon, for \$1,335.70—an average of \$193.67 per acre.

The Mt. Olivet Advance says two firms at Kentontown handled \$2,400 worth of rabbits the past season and estimates that \$5,000 worth was shipped from the county.

The crowd was fairly good at Lancaster court yesterday. Those sold brought from 2 to 3½ cents. About 100 cattle on the market. Horses dull at \$30 to \$45, mules \$70 to \$152. Business fair.

George W. Cravens, this county, sold, last week, to Mr. Taylor, of Lexington, 40 butcher hogs at 4c. R. R. Early, of this county, bought, last week, of different parties, 11 mules, 15½ hands high at \$108. —Woodford Sun.

William Moreland bought of Joe Kearns, of Monticello, 6 feeders at 3½ and sold to Robert Russell 14 extra fine heifers, weighing 1,000 pounds at 3c. He also sold to J. A. Harris & Son a bunch of feeders at 4 cents and \$1 on the head.

Robert Elmore, formerly of Madison, writes to his Kentucky friends from his Illinois home: "When you go to the World's Fair, at Chicago, next year, look for a large canvas with the largest mules in the world painted upon it. I have a pair of mules, 4 years old, that stand strong 19 hands high and weigh 3,600 pounds. I expect to have them tip the beam at 4,000 pounds by the time the fair opens."

—Edward P. Duncan, an American banker doing business in Paris, and wintering with his family at Cannes, returned unexpectedly to his hotel apartments and found a Frenchman in his wife's room. The fellow tried to hide behind the bed, but the husband poured a volley of lead at his cringing form, killing him instantly. The unfaithful wife fell at her husband's feet and implored his forgiveness, but he cast her off forever.



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PERSONAL POINTS.

MR. J. T. WALLER went to Louisville yesterday.

JOHN BRIGHT, of Grays, is with his homefolks here.

MR. GEORGE A. MCROBERTS is clerking for Mr. A. A. Warren.

MISS GEORGIE WRAY is visiting Miss Jessie Richards, at Junction City.

MISS MARY PICKETT, a Shelbyville beauty, is visiting Miss Adele Shanks.

MISS MANNIE ALFORD went to Somerset yesterday to visit Mrs. R. G. Hail.

MISS MINNIE VANARSDALE, of Harrodsburg, is with Mrs. H. J. McRoberts.

MISS JULIA PETTEN spent a few days with Mrs. W. L. Williams at Hustonville.

JOE JONES, of Central University, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. E. B. Jones.

MR. S. W. MENNEFEE went to Georgetown to spend the 22d with old schoolmates.

MR. M. SALINGER, of Louisville, has joined his wife here. Mrs. Max Mapes is better.

J. P. McDUGALD is agent for the life of the great preacher, Spurgeon, written by Dr. Northrup.

MISS JENNIE WARREN went to Danville, Saturday, to attend the Centre College 22d exercises.

MRS. S. M. NEWLAND, of White's Station, Madison county, has been the guest of her relative, Mrs. O. J. Newland.

MR. C. T. OWENS and wife, of Missouri, and Miss Belle Jones, of Mt. Salem, have been guests of Mrs. Dr. S. G. Hocker.

SQUIRE A. G. FAULKNER has been appointed storekeeper and gauger and will go to work at Sam Sims' distillery near Kingsville.

MR. JOE S. GRIMES, cashier of the First National Bank of Elizabethtown, took advantage of the 22d holiday to visit his mother and family.

MRS. MARY W. BOWMAN was one of the chaperones and Miss Virginia Bowman one of the dancers at the hop given at the Republican Club Rooms at Lexington.

CITY AND VICINITY.

ORCHARD SEEDS, clover and timothy at J. B. Foster's.

WANTED.—FIRM, fresh yellow butter at 25 cents. McKinney Bros.

THE SALE of John Bright's land, stock and crop will occur at his residence today.

A FEW ACCOUNTS of 1891 are unsettled. Call and settle by cash or note. A. R. Penny.

THE WEATHER has been cloudy and drizzly for several days with an east wind prevailing.

NEXT Saturday week, March 5th, is the day fixed for the democratic primary to nominate candidates for circuit clerk and sheriff.

I HAVE RECEIVED and am daily receiving a very handsome line of imported goods. Call early and select your spring suit. H. C. Rupley.

WASHINGTON's birthday was but poorly observed her. The post-office was open nearly all day and only the banks were shut up like a clam.

THE NEW CASH STORE has just received a line of boys' and gents' laundry and unlaundried shirts of the celebrated "Pearl" brand. J. S. Hughes.

LOUIS RAMSEY'S Lexington "Boomer" is out and is somewhat of a daisy. It is profusely illustrated, well patronized with advertisements and is a credit to its owner.

A PETITION to the City Council to increase the liquor license to \$1,000 is being numerously signed. That is the figure in Somerset and Richmond land the privilege ought to be worth as much here as in those towns.

JANUARY has come and gone and our books show that there are still some accounts unpaid. Our friends will please bear in mind that we have been exceedingly indulgent and will consider quite a favor if they will come forward and settle. Sime and Menefee.

THE L. & N. will sell round trip tickets on Feb. 29 to Louisville, at one and third fare for the round trip on account of the "Patti Concert." This road will also sell round-trip tickets to New Orleans and Mobile at one fare for the round-trip, Feb. 26 to 29 inclusive, good returning March 15th, on account of Mardi Gras celebration. See L. & N. Agents. W. W. Penn, T. P. A., L. & N. Junction City.

CAR Northern White Oats at J. B. Foster's.

FOR RENT.—Nice suite of rooms in the Farris & Ramsey building. R. Williams.

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FOR SALE.—75 cords of wood at \$1.50 in woods; 300 yards from pine on county road. A. M. Feland.

JUSTER received a new stock of 16 and 20 button length kid gloves, whites and operas. Severance & Son.

HELD.—Wm. Weatherford, of Casey county, was held in \$300 bail at Lebanon for forging a check on Wm. Spaggs for \$150 and having it cashed in a Lebanon bank. He is still in jail.

THE U. S. Court at Louisville, indicted J. L. Dever, late mail clerk on the K. C., for violating the postal laws, that is tampering with registered letters, and his trial was set for the 25th.

WE call attention, this week, to our stock of men's, boys' and children's clothing just received and also to our beautiful line of French zephyr and domestic ginghams. These goods are as nice as are imported to any market and we invite you to come and examine them. It costs nothing to show goods. J. S. Hughes.

THE CASE against Anderson Carr to suspend his liquor license was presented before Judge Varnon Friday, and dismissed on the Commonwealth's proof, which did not in any manner establish the charge that he was keeping a disorderly house. Those who pretended they knew a great deal, did not know so much under oath on the witness stand.

THE DIRECTORS of the Farmers Bank & Trust Company met Saturday and decided that the expenses of the institution must be reduced, as they are out of proportion to the earnings these dull times. Mr. J. H. Baughman, who has filled the position of book keeper with satisfaction and credit, will likely go out, leaving Cashier J. B. Owles and Teller W. M. Bright the only salaried officers of the bank, save President S. H. Shanks, whose salary was reduced.

A FEW WEEKS ago, Mr. C. O. Powell, who has made a good deal of money merchandising at Welshburg, Jackson county, advertised in the INTERIOR JOURNAL for a store-room and residence in Stanford. He got numerous letters and yesterday came down to look at the property offered him. Mr. W. A. Tribble took him to the residence of Mr. Will Stone, on Logan Avenue, and in a few minutes sold him the house and lot of half an acre for \$1,100. Mr. Powell will also buy a farm and perhaps go in to the mercantile business here. He is an enterprising man and will be welcomed.

CHURCH AFFAIRS.

—Rev. A. C. Hopkins will hold a Sunday-school institute at Harrodsburg Feb. 26-28 and at Kingsville, March 1-2.

—In an Augusta, Ga., church, Sunday, when, after a sermon, in which the minister criticised a newspaper editorial and sneered at the peculiarities of its author, the editor arose and announced that he would reply to the preacher on the following day—an announcement which was greeted by the congregation with applause.

TO TRUSTEES OF COMMON SCHOOLS.

To avoid future trouble in regard to the employment of teachers for the extra year, I wish to state that it is necessary that a written contract be entered into between the teacher and at least two of the trustees, or the same shall be null and void. The contract between the teacher and trustees should not be entered into until after the election for school trustees or until the newly elected trustee or trustees shall have been duly installed and accepted by the county superintendent. I see that the proposed amendment to the present school law on this subject provides that the employment of a teacher must be in their corporate capacity at a meeting called for that purpose. It is also very probable that the first examination will be held in June this year. If so, there will be no necessity for very great haste in the matter. Respectfully,

W. F. McCCLARY, Co. Supt.

CRAB ORCHARD.

—Rev. Amos Stout preached a very able discourse on Sunday. His sermons are always interesting.

—Mr. Goodknight, of Muncie, Ind., was here the latter part of the week and purchased one cow and three calves of Mr. J. E. Carson, for \$300, and thought he got a good bargain.

—Instead of Miss Hattie we should have said it was Mannie Henry, who was to be the new milliner. She has already purchased a new stock and proposes to run a first-class establishment. Mr. J. L. Nelson stopped over a day with friends on his way home from college. Miss Francisco, of Brodhead, is visiting Miss Ada Herrin.

—We have now in our town three flourishing schools and they are all good ones. We propose to have the children in this vicinity educated, if schools are all that is necessary. After talking to a number of the scholars in the different schools, we are glad to find that they are all deeply interested in their books, more so than is common among children.

In Madison, Nat Cotton shot and seriously injured his brother-in-law, William Hendren. Cotton's daughter was to have been married to a young Mr. Whitaker, and Hendren was hiding the girl in order that she might elope with his nephew, Mr. Ray. Cotton has now consented for his daughter to wed Ray, but vows she shall never return to the house of her pa. Hendren is in a critical condition, having about 100 bird shot in the calf of his right leg.

An estimate of the annual value of wax and honey in the United States is

who had moved to this county. seems that a bad case of too much mother-in-law and brother-in-law soon developed, at any rate there was always considerable trouble in the camp, which culminated a year or so ago in an open rupture between Cooley and his wife.

They parted for a while and during that time Atherton, with some of his friends, went to Cooley's house to whip him, but for some reason failed to do so. The couple shortly got together again and last fall gave up the farm and went to Rowland to keep boarding house. Affairs progressed favorably for awhile, but Mr. Cooley, tiring of the business and the presence of his wife's relatives wanted to give it up. Mrs. Cooley preferred to continue it and it was agreed that he should take the children to the farm and she and her mother remain at Rowland. This further incensed Atherton, it is said, and that and other causes led him to seek Cooley at his country home. There were no witnesses to the shooting, but Noah Cooley, a son of the accused. Cooley immediately afterwards gave himself up to the sheriff and was placed under guard till Saturday, when he was admitted to bail in \$500 with M. D. Elmore and J. H. Carter sureties and the examining trial set for next Saturday, when Hon. R. C. Warren will represent him.

MATRIMONIAL MATTERS.

—Davis Lee Currey, of Harrodsburg, who travels for Tunis & Co., Lexington, was married in Louisville, last week, to Miss Cornelia, daughter of Rev. B. F. Taylor.

—The marriage of Miss Mary, daughter of Chief Justice Fuller, to C. C. Manning, which occurred Jan. 7, has just been announced. The bride is an invalid.

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OFFICERS:

S. H. Hocker, President;

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HUBBLE.

Mrs. Betsy Spoonamoe was taken very ill a few days ago, though Dr. T. M. Lewis thinks she will be out again soon. He also reports Thomas Smith on the sick list.

Tilford Alexander died suddenly Friday night, at his home near the Boyle county line. He had worked hard all day and after eating a hearty supper retired. He was taken ill in short time and in a few hours was a corpse, having died, it is supposed, of heart trouble. Mr. Alexander was about 60 years of age and was twice married, his last wife and 11 children surviving him. During the war he was a gallant member of Morgan's Command and since hostilities have made a good citizen. He was a member of the Methodist church and highly thought of by his neighbors.

Mr. George White, an aged citizen of Garrard, living near here on the river was found dead in his bed Thursday before day. He was up during the night to wait on one of his little grandchildren sleeping with him and later on in the night the child began to fret and his wife called to him; he did not answer, so his son Jim was called, and on investigation he was found dead. He was about 75 years old and had been in good health for some time. He was a member of the Baptist church and respected by all in his community. He leaves 8 children, all of whom are grown.

CHATS ABOUT MEN.

Representative Simpson and Senator Peeler both wear gold rimmed spectacles.

Professor Michaelson, of Clark university, has a project for utilizing the wave lengths of light as a standard of measure.

Old Marechal Canrobert, of the French army, in spite of his eighty-two years, walks alone each day for miles, and is the "observed of all observers."

The new German minister at Washington is pictured as short, fat and not good looking. His nose and cheeks are covered with schlayer scars that he acquired while a student.

J. J. Cheeseman, the new president of Liberia, is a Baptist minister, whom the Southern Baptist missionary convention of the United States appointed superintendent of its missions in 1871.

Stockton, Cal., has a full blooded Indian on the bench in the person of Charles Light, who was elected at the last election. He is the only Indian on the Pacific coast holding a judicial position.

One of the youngest railroad presidents in the country is George W. Saul, the executive head of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois road. He will not celebrate his thirty-fourth birthday until next October.

Father Anderley, the late superior of the Society of Jesus, was not only a man of polished manners and a natural diplomatist, but also the master of many languages. Besides Greek, Latin and Hebrew, he spoke English, French, Italian, Spanish and German fluently.

The Mohawk Indians of Ontario have a full blooded member, Dr. Cronyateka, who has made both money and reputation in the practice of medicine in Canada. He was a protege of the Prince of Wales, and studied at Oxford under Dr. Ackland, the prince's physician.

Mr. Charles Villiers, who recently celebrated his ninetieth birthday in England, had been in parliament just three years when Victoria ascended the throne. He was an important figure in British public life forty years ago, though but little of his fame has descended to the present generation.

RAILROAD JOTTINGS.

There were about 600 miles of new track laid in Canada during the year 1891.

The New York, Ontario and Western is placing stretchers at its stations and on its trains for use in case of accident.

A marine railway has been built in Elizabethport, N. J., which is capable of hauling a 2,500-ton vessel out of the water in nine minutes.

General W. J. Sewell, ex-United States senator, has been appointed second vice president of the Baltimore and Potomac, with office at New York.

Recently train No. 20, St. Louis to New York on the Pennsylvania lines, which is run "double header" with twelve and thirteen cars, made the run from Xena to Columbus, fifty-five miles, in sixty-two minutes making three stops.

Morrison citizens have been asked to subscribe funds to continue the Rockaway Valley railroad from Mendham N. J., to Morristown, seven miles. The outlook, as given by the company's engineer, is said to be very favorable for securing sufficient money to continue the work.

The Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain general passenger and ticket department has issued a book of general instructions for agents, conductors and baggagemen, covering 140 closely printed pages. There is a fund of information in this book, and it is a valuable guide for the employees.

Mr. Sliptongue—I have not met your wife. Is she here this evening?

Mr. Hansome—Yes, but just at this moment she is engaged over there at the piano.

Mr. Sliptongue (with affected enthusiasm)—Ah, I see. She is that goddess-like beauty who is playing an accompaniment for that mountain of flesh who is singing.

Mr. Hansome (stilly)—My wife does not play. She sings—New York Weekly.

—David Dunham Withers, the noted turfman, died at New York.

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